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MIDWINTER MEETING

The 92nd Midwinter Meeting of the Chicago Dental Society will go down in the record books as the largest meeting in history. Attendance records of all previous meetings were shattered; last year's attendance was topped by 1285. Here are the figures: total attendance 15,839 of which 7305 were dentists—2993 C.D.S. members and 4312 A.D.A. visitors. There were 1604 exhibitors and 829 of their guests, 677 laboratory men, 2456 family guests, 1230 dental assistants, 933 students, 263 hygienists, 38 physicians, 36 health nurses, and 468 others.

The meeting this year got under way on Sunday, February 3rd, at the Conrad Hilton Hotel. Registration started at 10:00 a.m. with the Normandie Lounge open for members, laboratory men, physicians, etc., and the South Williford Room for family guests, dental assistants and hygienists, and foreign dentists. The day's registration was a record 9428. Despite this number, having the use of the two rooms kept things moving at a smooth pace and there was little or no congestion throughout the day. On the job were Registration Chairman Clarence (Smiley) Simon, Vice-Chairman Orville Larsen (yours truly) and the Registration and Credentials Committee, along with Amy Nelson, Marion Harvey and LaVerne Decker from the Central Office, the girls from the Convention Bureau, and the dental assistants, all of whom did a tremendous job. I might add that we had the cooperation of the weather man this year—four days of perfect winter weather.

THE PROGRAM

Robert L. Kreiner, General Chairman of the 92nd Midwinter Meeting, put together an outstanding program, again making our meeting one of the finest of its kind in the country. Having the Projected Clinics on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday mornings, with the table clinics in the afternoons, proved to be an excellent change, relieving the crowded conditions of former years. To you, Chairman Kreiner, congratulations on a great job.

To Lyle W. McNamara, Program Chairman, Vice-Chairman Graham O. Davies, and the Program Committee, a vote of thanks for a widely diversified program and the services of many outstanding essayists and clinicians. It would be impossible for me to choose from the many those that might be considered the best. Let's just say this program will be remembered as one of the finest.

Felix S. Tittle, Chairman of the Essay Division, W. Clinton Fisher, Vice-Chairman, and the Essay Committee presented 52 excellent essays covering practically every phase of dentistry, and from all reports there was a 100% attendance. In some crowded rooms there was more than 100%.

The Limited Attendance Committee

with Steve W. Lynch, Chairman, and Vice-Chairman Rudolph U. Grieff, reported an almost complete sellout before the meeting due to the clinic mention in the Preliminary Program of the FORTNIGHTLY of January 2nd. There were 63 clinics at 127 different times with 113 presiding chairmen. A very fine program.

Robert J. Kiechler, Chairman of Table Clinics, General Clinics Division, and Howard J. Harvey, Vice-Chairman, and the Committee, presented 123 table clinics on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons in the North and Middle Williford Rooms. This program was spread over three afternoons to accommodate the crowds. These clinics were very well attended, attracting the general practitioner, especially, for the helpful hints and ideas applying to everyday practice. Another popular feature was in the Astoria Room where Special Demonstration Clinics presented the latest and best technique in the quick repair of broken dentures by the use of cold cure acrylics. These were given by clinicians from the three dental schools of Chicago.

The Projected Clinics Committee, under the able chairmanship of Thaddeus V. Weclew and Sidney S. Pollack, Vice-Chairman, presented five projected clinics on both Monday and Tuesday mornings, and six on Wednesday morning, in the North and Middle Williford Rooms, the chairman presiding. I think the definition of a Projected Clinic, as defined in the program, might well be repeated here: "A projected clinic is a closely correlated presentation by slides and oral comment of a specific technic or the handling of a single dental problem." On all three days a full house was noted.

In the Upper Tower Ballroom, the Committee on Visual Education, Clifford W. Lossman, Chairman, and Richard A. Anderson, Vice-Chairman, presented a program of 43 motion pictures throughout the three days. By popular request, the four-hour motion picture on Full Mouth Rehabilitation, produced by the Dental School of the University of Oregon, was presented in the late afternoon on Tuesday and, following an intermission for dinner, was resumed in the evening. This program drew a fine attendance at all times.

The Scientific Exhibits held a great deal of interest, and Chairman Olan B. Kibler, Vice-Chairman Everett A. Grimmer, and their committee provided a fine array of exhibits. The one presented by the Committee on Dental Health Education of the Chicago Dental Society drew much attention. In all, there were 26 very fine exhibits.

W. Kelly Frakes, Chairman of the Exhibit Registration Committee, unfortunately broke his right arm shortly before the Meeting, but this did not prevent him from ably performing his duties with assistance from his able bodied Vice-Chairman, A. M. Bressler with whom I worked for many years on the same committee. This committee started functioning on Saturday morning, registering exhibitors and their guests, 2433 of them to be exact, and putting up signs, so that by 1 p.m. Sunday all was in readiness for the official opening of the meeting. Due to the combined efforts of the Committee, hard working Eleanor Hart from the Central Office, and the Andy Frain ushers, there was no congestion at any time. At the meeting's end, the exhibitors expressed their appreciation and their intention to be on hand again next year, and reported having done a very good business.

The Reception Committee with Gus Solfronk in charge, did an outstanding job in the South Williford Room greeting visitors from foreign lands, as well as welcoming the essayists and clinicians.

One of the hardest working committees at the Midwinter Meeting was the General Arrangements Committee, this year under the leadership of Burton W. Zuley, Chairman, and Fred Verink, Vice-Chairman. This Committee was busy with preparations for several days before the meeting, and was the last to leave after the meeting was over. Congratulations to the Chairmen and Committee for a splendid job. The Committee headquarters, Private Dining Room three, was the nerve center for the entire convention.

The Information Committee, under the leadership of Albert F. Fick, Chairman, and Vice-Chairman Leo J. Cahill, did a great job keeping our messages posted on the blackboard at all times, and giving out the proper information to all.

Lawrence E. Lucas, Chairman of the Membership Committee, Vice-Chairman Thomas J. Scanlan and the Committee were kept busy taking applications for new members, and from all reports there were quite a few. Nice going.

Publicity Chairman Romaine J. Waska, who, unfortunately, has been ill since last June, was unable to attend the meeting, but we understand that at the present time he is recovering in fine style. Vice-Chairman of Publicity, former FORTNIGHTLY editor, Edward J. Sullivan, did a tremendous job with coverage in the newspapers, TV and radio, keeping the public informed on the new developments in dentistry. Their work, along with the cooperation of our public relations firm of Julian Jackson, provided the meeting with fine publicity.

I wish I could name each and every person who contributed so much to make this Midwinter Meeting the success it was, but, of course, space does not permit. Congratulations to each of you for a great job.

GENERAL SESSION

On Monday evening, preceding the first General Session, we were again entertained as in former years by Priscilla Holbrook at the organ, followed by community singing. The meeting was called to order by General Chairman Robert Kreiner, and the 450 or more present joined in the singing of our National Anthem. The invocation was given by the Reverend William Stanley Mellish of the South Shore Community Church. Those seated at the speakers' table were then introduced by Chairman Kreiner who presented our Society President Edward W. Luebke. Dr. Luebke greeted the assemblage on behalf of the Society, and expressed his thanks and appreciation to all who took part in the meeting. Dr. Luebke then presented the Society's Sixteenth Annual Research Award to Dr. Ralph W. Phillips and Marjorie L. Swartz of Indianapolis, Indiana. We were honored by an address by Dr. Harry Lyons, President of the American Dental Association, who reported on the present status and future plans of the A.D.A. The speaker for the evening, Dr. Hubert N. Alyea of the Department of Chemistry of Princeton University, was presented and introduced his subject, "Atomic Energy: Weapon for Peace." His illustrations and experiments served to bring alive one of the most important problems of the present day.

The second General Session was held on Wednesday morning at 10:30 and was presided over by Lyle W. McNamara. The research award paper, "The Effect of Certain Restorative Materials on the Solubility of Enamel," by Dr. Ralph W. Phillips and Marjorie L. Swartz, was read, after which President Luebke presented the authors with a check for $500. We are proud of the Society's interest in stimulating research and hope this will always remain a part of our Midwinter Meeting.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Memo from Mildred: How about letting me take over? The Ladies' Luncheon and Fashion Show is one part of the convention you missed. You boys should have dropped into the Grand Ballroom on Tuesday afternoon. It was filled with about 900 of the dentists' ladies, and a better looking bunch of gals you have never seen. As Mrs. Joe Zielinski commented, they could have well put on a fashion show of their own. Instead, after a delicious luncheon, we were presented with the very latest in fashions by Marshall Field & Co., and I do mean 'latest.' There were a couple of numbers there I just can't do without, dear, tho' you may not agree. We're glad we outgrew the Boulevard Room; it was real nice not having to peer around a pillar or post,

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Dean Schour Honored at Testimonial Dinner

Left to right: Drs. Carl Weiss, Isaac Schour and Saul Levy.

Illinois Alumni of Alpha Omega were the sponsors of a testimonial dinner at the Drake Hotel, February 3rd, in honor of Dean Schour of the School of Dentistry, University of Illinois. There were 294 persons at dinner when Dr. Harry Lyons, President of the American Dental Association and Dean of the dental school at the University of Virginia, took over as toastmaster. Dr. Carl Weiss of Alpha Omega presented a check for $7,000 in the name of the fraternity which is to be used to equip a research laboratory in the dental school of Hebrew University in Israel. This research laboratory will be called the "Isaac Schour Research Laboratory." Dr. Saul Levy of the University of Illinois was the chairman for the dinner.

OFFICIAL NOTICE

The April meeting of the Chicago Dental Society will be held on Tuesday, April 23rd, 1957.

NEWS OF THE BRANCHES

West Suburban

The old adage "the mind can only absorb as much as the seat will tolerate" did not hold true at the recent Midwinter Meeting, as standing room only was a premium for many of the lectures. West Suburban branch members are to be complimented for their efforts in making the meeting a success by their attendance as well as those who helped as workers and clinicians. . . . As G. V. Black has stated: "A dentist can never be anything but a continuous student." For further educational knowledge in the field of dentistry, on March 19 at the Riverside Country Club, Dr. A Gordon Anderson will talk on "Oral Surgery for the General Practitioner." He is the consultant Oral Surgeon at Hines Veteran Hospital and guest lecturer at Loyola University. . . . The Far West Study Group (not so far that you can't make it in one evening) offers one of the most outstanding group of clinicians ever assembled as a unit on Thursday, March 28, at Louis' Restaurant. Drs. T. Starshak, V. Milas and L. Kalk will discuss Endodontics. This clinic was a complete sellout at the Midwinter Meeting. If you have any problems on this phase of dentistry feel free to bring X-rays and enter into the open discussion with these men. . . . Les Butler has been confined to the hospital and is now home as a result of a bout with arthritic spurs on his vertebra. He is still in traction. A get-well card or phone call is always appreciated. . . . Clarence A. Hanson and Wallace Kirby were awarded Fellowships in the American College of Dentists at the last A.D.A. meeting. . . . Mrs. Ted Moetick was an advisor to the teen-age directors at the Riverside Ski Meet that was held recently. . . . To the families of Drs. Wm. Chapman, W. F. Franta and H. L. Simmons, the members of the branch extend their deepest sympathy on the loss of their loved ones. . . . We regret that we cannot give you more personal information regarding the membership—no cards—no phone calls. Give us some news! . . . Byron Truax of Villa Park is the proud father of a bouncing baby. . . . In a recent issue of this column we gave credit to "Slenderella" for having "reformed" one of our members. Frank Novak has a better idea—follow his slogan "No breakfast—No lunch—Lose your fat in a great big bunch" . . . Werner Gresens has been under the weather but is back at work and taking it easy.—*Sylvester W. Cotter, Branch Correspondent.*

North Suburban

Our thanks go out to all those who worked so hard in putting on another outstanding Midwinter meeting. We can certainly be proud of our many branch members who took an active part in the many committees, clinics, and programs. Having recovered from the excitement and fatigue, we are looking forward to next year. . . . With every delivery the past few days, I find additional evidence of having spent more time in the commercial exhibits than I had thought. I hope that I will be able to use the materials and equipment with the same enthusiasm as was presented by our friends the manufacturers. . . . In our comings-and-goings department, we find that Jim Plants polished up his paper on practice management at a presentation in Duluth just before the Meeting. . . . Norm Olsen should take the prize for the most hectic week. He spoke from 9 until 5 on Monday at the Children's Dental Health Day Symposium in San Francisco, and grabbed a plane to arrive in Chicago for a paper at 10:30, Tuesday morning. At noon, he presided at a luncheon of the American Society of Dentistry for Children; gave a projected clinic on Wednesday, and conducted a two-day seminar

on Thursday and Friday. The following Tuesday, he presented a paper in Dayton for their Children's Dental Health Week program. . . . Jay Welborn took off for a vacation in Phoenix after his last clinic. You can be sure that his golf equipment will need a rehabilitation after the workout they'll get in the Southwest. . . . Randy Wescott and Steve Stephenson took their vacations just prior to the Meeting. Randy spent a week in Florida, and the Stephensons visited their physician son who is stationed with the Navy at Treasure Island. . . . Bob Lasater is reported to be heading for Los Angeles, and John McGuire is planning a trip to Arizona the end of the month. . . . Never one to stay in one place very long, Tom Graber is on a tour of Japan and the Philippines where he is giving papers on cephalometrics. . . . The Tod Dewels are heading for Dallas where Tod is to deliver some papers for the Tweed group. . . . Robert Williams has returned from service in Germany and is back in his orthodontia practice. . . . Ben Misantoni is back in his home town of Winnetka, and is in association with Ray Thorsen. . . . Don't forget the next branch meeting, Tuesday, March 12th.—*Richard G. Fischl, Branch Correspondent.*

North Side

NOTICE! NEW MEETING PLACE! Our next meeting, March 6th, starting at 9 a.m. will be held at the Tam O'Shanter Country Club, Howard and Caldwell. . . . This will be an *all day* session, starting at 9 a.m. running thru lunch, to 5 p.m. This day will be devoted to the study of Periodontia, led by Dr. Irving Glickman, Professor of Oral Pathology and Periodontology of Tufts College Dental School, Boston, Mass. His topic will be "Recognition, Diagnosis and Treatment of Periodontal Disease in the Practice of General Dentistry," and he will be ably assisted by our own Dr. Irving Stone, who, together with Dr. Glickman, has done considerable re-

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News Items

IMPORTANT NOTICE

In accordance with the Constitution and By-Laws, all petitions for candidates for the elective offices of Chicago Dental Society must be filed at the office of the Chicago Dental Society by 5:00 p.m., March 22. The April meeting of the Society will be held on April 23, 1957. The speaker of the evening will be Dr. Nygaard Ostby of Norway. His subject will be Endodontics.

A "THANK YOU" NOTE

Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Goldhorn would like to express their appreciation to each one who has been so considerate and thoughtful while Dr. Goldhorn is confined to St. Luke's Hospital as a result of the accident he suffered on the Saturday just before the Midwinter Meeting. We are happy to report that he is making excellent progress although his stay in the hospital is still indefinite. The hundreds of cards and remembrances that he has received have been a tremendous comfort and inspiration and the Goldhorns are deeply grateful. Keep them coming!—*E. Ebert.*

C.D.A.A. NEWS

The Chicago Dental Assistants Association has scheduled its next meeting for March 21, 8:00 p.m., at the Palmer House Hotel. Dr. J. Boles will speak on the "Dental Assistant's Role in Oral Surgery."

The North Side Branch of C.D.A.A. will meet on March 12 at the Villa Sweden, 5207 N. Clark St., with dinner at 7:00 and the meeting at 8:00. Mr. Glenn Epplé, of the 20th Century Laboratory, will speak on the pouring of models and the duties of the assistant.

The South Side meeting will take place on March 12 at Nielsen's Restaurant,

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Wanted: Dental assistant with chair experience. Five-day week, hours 8:30 to 5:00. Office located in Oak Park. Address C-17, The Fortnightly Review of the Chicago Dental Society.

OPPORTUNITIES

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Wanted: General practitioner. South Side community. Excellent opportunity. Permanent. Address C-12, The Fortnightly Review of the Chicago Dental Society.

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MISCELLANEOUS

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LOST, Monday, February 4, Midwinter Meeting at Hilton Hotel: Small wooden slide box about 6" long, 2 x 2, containing about 50 Kodachrome slides. Dr. Schmitt, SUperior 7-4500, Extension 329.

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and this time there was room for everyone. Quite a few of the gals left happily with gift certificates, but no one at our table was so fortunate. However, it was a delightful afternoon and thanks to Mrs. Zielinski and her committee, and to the Conrad Hilton Hotel and Marshall Field & Co., I'm sure everyone had a wonderful time. Now back to you. . . .

Another social event of the Midwinter Meeting was a tea held on Monday afternoon in charge of the Reception Committee for Visiting Women Dentists. Dr. Elsie Gerlach headed the committee with Dr. A. Florence Lilley as her Vice-Chairman. Tea was served the guests in Private Dining Room One from 3 o'clock on. I understand it was a most enjoyable event for the visiting women dentists.

The social highlight of the meeting took place, as usual, on Wednesday night. This, of course, was the Annual Dinner Dance in the Grand Ballroom of the Hilton. Chairman Don Wise, Vice-Chairman Sol Shiret and the committee planned a wonderful dinner and show for us. After partaking of the delicious chicken dinner, we were entertained by the Harmonicats, a dance team from the Empire Room, and the thrilling voices of the Winged Victory Chorus, as well as a most amusing master-of-ceremonies, the face behind the voice of 'Donald Duck.' Then there was dancing to the excellent music of Bud Dinwiddie's Band, a fitting climax to this 92nd Midwinter

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SUMMARY

This is the story of the 1957 Midwinter Meeting. It will go down in history as one of the greatest—all attendance records were broken, we had the best in scientific exhibits, table clinics, projected clinics, essays, commercial exhibits, to say nothing of the fine social events. The splendid cooperation between President Luebke, the Officers, Directors, General Chairman, Committee Chairmen and Vice-Chairmen and all of the Committeemen who worked so long and diligently together, made it all possible. We are indebted to our essayists, clinicians, and scientific exhibitors for sharing their knowledge with us, and to the commercial exhibitors we offer our appreciation for their fine contribution, also. Our thanks go also to all of those who attended the meeting, and last, but by no means least, our heartfelt thanks to that hardworking group at the Central Office. Without their tremendous help throughout the year we could never accomplish what we do. To our Executive Secretary and to Amy Nelson, Marion Harvey, LaVerne Decker and Eleanor Hart we are forever grateful. If I have omitted anything or anyone I am sorry, but as you can see there was much to remember.

To everyone, thanks a million. Hope we will all be together on February 2-3-4-5, 1958.—*Orville (Country) Larsen.*

NEWS OF THE BRANCHES

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search and writing on the subject. This meeting will be run as a workshop, but will be *free* to all members. . . . Paul Brown did a very excellent job on the Award Luncheon. Earl Elman, our Director, was the recipient of the first award, on the basis of the tremendously valuable job he did in securing Social Security benefits for all dentists and for the surviving members of families of deceased dentist-veterans. He was secretary of the American Congress of Dentists for O A S I, and did an heroic job in helping the many polls of dentists as well as testifying before the Senate Finance Committee on the bill. In addition to all this, he did and is still doing a very adequate job as Director for the North Side to the CDS, as well as advisor to our branch. In our opinion this award is very well deserved. . . . Jules Barrash is to be congratulated on the novel idea he had: the "My Personal Schedule" that the North Side distributed so widely at the Midwinter Meeting. It was a four-day schedule, or rather an appointment schedule, for the meeting. It helped to organize and conserve time for the men, and eliminated overlapping of various meetings and sessions at the meeting. May we suggest that future programs of the big meeting include such a page for the convenience of those attending. . . . Uptown Dental Forum is sold out for their Decennial Celebration at Oakton Manor. Might be a few cottages left—

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call Henry Parkin. . . . Earl Elman will have an article "Social Security for Dentists" in the April issue of *Courant*—the life insurance magazine. . . . Two articles in February *Oral Hygiene* are worth reading: "I Waited Too Long for Insurance" and "Reappraisal of the Value of Social Security in Relation to Insurance." *Oral Hygiene* has consistently been aware of the problem and has given good coverage. . . . Ted Dubrow, our Insurance Committee Chairman, reports he has an excellent proposition for an adequate Hospitalization Policy (group), but needs 25 men to go into it. Call him at Br 4-1169. . . . Herb Krummel reports that the Lerner Newspapers are cooperating excellently in keeping the community informed about dentists and dentistry. He will soon have a series of columns for and about dentistry every week running in the Lerner Papers. Keep watching for them. . . . If you have any ideas for such columns, call him. . . . M. Walker and Murray Hoffman had their cars bumped during the past snow storms. So did Warren Gerber, who incidentally had both his cars smashed. He was riding in the "toy" one, with his foot in a cast sticking out of the window and almost had that taken off. The cast is off but he is still hobbling. . . . Harold Rabin celebrated his son, David's, first birthday. . . . Warren's daughter, Bonnie, made the society page in the *Trib*—pictures and all. Is papa proud! . . . Sam Spira can well be proud of his son, Dr. Melvin Spira, now interning at Duke University Hospital and training for specialization in general and plastic surgery. Melvin, now only 32, got his DDS from NU in '47, his Master's in Oral Surgery in '51, has had two 2-year hitches in the Navy, is resident in Oral Surgery at University Hospital, Augusta, and Head of the Dental Department of the Children's Hospital Ass'n. He is being honored now as one of the outstanding undergraduates of the YEAR. It's no wonder that Sam glows with pride when he speaks of his son. . . . We're very glad to report that Walter Christensen is recuperating. . . . And so is Ernest Goldhorn. . . . The Carl Sudakoffs are expecting their second baby in April and therefore can't take a chance on going to Oakton Manor with us. . . . Alfred Erickson, Charles Cardy and Zack Ford were awarded 50-year pins from the Chicago Dental Society and Certificates from the Illinois Society. Congratulations! . . . We are happy to announce that Robert L. Williams has returned from military service and has entered partnership with Northsider G. Hewett Williams in the Uptown Bank Bldg. where they will specialize in Orthodontia. . . . Walter Nock, Jr. is practicing with Dad until he is called to service. . . . S. Lipton is recuperating at home. . . . Got a letter from Alberto de Cabo, Rivadavia, 2134, Beunos Aires, Argentina, asking for American dentists to correspond with him for an interchange of ideas and progress in dentistry between the two countries. How about writing him? . . . Our sympathy to the family of Ben Krohn, who died Feb. 17. . . . Don't miss the March 6th meeting with Dr. Glickman at Tam O'Shanter. Next issue will have the Nominating Committee's recommendations for our next election of officers.—*I. H. Shapiro, Branch Correspondent.*

West Side

Hi!—Everyone expects the Chicago Dental Society Midwinter Meeting to be the traditional success, but this 92nd meeting scaled the pinnacle of achieve-

ment. From every view it was an outstanding affair. The program was generously sprinkled with the names of many of our Branch members, too many to mention, who as clinicians, essayists, presiding chairmen and committee members contributed in a great measure to the success of this Midwinter dental classic. We are proud of them all. . . . On Sunday nite, Feb. 3rd, at the Drake Hotel the Alpha Omega Fraternity tendered a testimonial dinner in honor of Dr. Isaac Schour, a member of our West Side Branch. A crowd of about 350, glittering with brass from the A.D.A. and C.D.S. and the deans of most of the dental schools across the country, paid well-merited glowing tribute to Dr. Schour for his splendid achievements as Dean of the U. of Ill. College of Dentistry and his many noteworthy contributions to dentistry and humanity. A large number of our West Side members contributed to and enjoyed this dinner. . . . A few days before the holidays Bob Tuck, who had not been feeling up to par for some time, was laid low by an assortment of aches, pains and occupational fatigue and wound up flat on his back in the Elmhurst Hospital. After undergoing a series of multifarious tests and a complete overhaul, Bob spent several weeks at home recuping. Now he is back at the old chair feeling better than par. . . . Right after the Midwinter Meeting Sylvester Metcalf moved into his classy new four-chair office at 28 Madison St., Oak Park, replete with air-conditioning and all the latest equipment and appurtenances. . . . That pro golfer, Sol Shiret, by avocation an oral surgeon, has set up a second office in a new clinic center up Skokie way. . . . While we are enjoying the sparkling pristine beauty of the snow and the clear invigorating air hovering at below zero temperatures Howie Rosen was basking under Florida skies converting his northern pallor into a southern coppertone. . . . Under bright sunny skies down around Fort Sam Houston and San Antonio, Caesar Newman is enjoying a delightful extended visit with his daughter. . . . Phil Spencer is getting a jump on spring by cruising along the Rio Grande from El

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Paso to the Mission Valley in the Lone Star State. . . . Everyone at Chick's house wanted to use the car on the same day and sometimes the air became rather blue. So Chick dashed out and bought a second car, a dashing new blue Plymouth, with all the buttons. Now he is happily sashaying between his two offices and again everything is rosy at the Vission's bailiwick. . . . A few months ago C. E. Grizzell moved into a lovely new home he completed in Waconda. During the Midwinter Meeting he enjoyed a visit from his son who practices dentistry in Evansville, Ind. . . . The Nominating Committee consisting of Al Sells, Chairman, Fred Bazola, Sam Kleiman, Sam Rakow, and John Reilly, selected the following candidates for officers of the W.S. Branch for the ensuing year: President, Harold Epstein; Vice-President, Andrew J. Kelleher; Secretary, William L. Bingaman; Treasurer, Michael C. Arra; Librarian, Victor Ganz; member of W.S. Board of Directors, Walter Zipperich; member of C.D.S. Board of Directors, Adolph F. Stark. The election will be held at the meeting March 12, 1957 at the Midwest Hotel. There will be no scientific session but plans have been made for just a social evening. After the election of the officers, corned beef, open-face sandwiches, socialibations and good fellowship are on the agenda. Just for fun, you all come! . . . Our Branch Correspondent, William Bingaman, is doing a grand job on this column but needs your help. Drop Bing a card from wherever you are or give him a ring; any news item will be greatly appreciated. See you at the meeting, Midwest Hotel, March 12, 1957—BE THERE!—*Adolph F. Stark, Assistant Branch Correspondent.*

Northwest Side

The first monthly meeting of the new year will be held on Tuesday, March 5, at Stella's Restaurant. Dr. S. Jay Welborn will be our speaker. The subject will be "Oral Rehabilitation." His lecture

will include "case presentation," "diagnosis," "types of restorations," and "occlusal anatomy" which is most desired in rehabilitation. Cocktails will be served at 6:00, of course. . . . To the ladies who are reading this column, don't say I didn't tell you in ample time. Have your husband make reservations for the Ladies' Night to be held on May 8, in the Venetian Room at Algauer's Restaurant. If your husband is too busy at the office, surprise him with an advance reservation by calling Stanley Brzezinski, NAtional 2-4950. . . . The 92nd Midwinter Meeting is history. The Northwest Side was well represented by its clinicians. Limited attendance clinics were given by LaMar Harris on "Practical Application of Plastics in Prosthodontia." Irwin Neer presented "Electroformed Dies for Mouth Rehabilitation" and Viggo Sorensen's subject was "Handling Surgical Problems encountered in Everyday Practice." Table clinics were presented by Bob Placek on "Gold Inlays" and A. H. Tamarin demonstrated "The Acrylic Resin Jacket Crown With a Gold Coping" . . . At a luncheon of the Academy of General Dentistry, Jim Mershimer, in the name of the University of Illinois Alumni, presented Thad Weclew with a key of the Omicron Kappa Upsilon Honorary Fraternity for organizational effort in the Academy of General Dentistry. . . . Your scribe had the pleasure of presenting an honorary membership certificate of the Academy of General Dentistry to Robert McNulty, Dean of the University of Southern California Dental School. . . . Believe it or not, Frank and Stanley Brzezinski, the F.B.I. boys had their share of woes lately. Their office was pilfered on Friday, February 1st. What is your method of apprehending these criminals, boys? . . . Fred Ahlers is recuperating in Florida. Anyone wishing to write a get-well card to him, address him at "Fort Myers, Box 192." . . . Sympathy to Herman Wenger on the loss of his mother. . . . Joe Zielinski recuperated sufficiently after his surgical operation to attend the Midwinter Meeting. Not to overlook the fair sex, congratulations to Mrs. Joe B.

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Zielinski for her efforts as Chairman of the Fashion Show and Luncheon. . . . *Your Correspondent, John M. Gates.*

Kenwood-Hyde Park

The Midwinter Meeting was a huge success and all that were present will attest to this. Bob Kreiner did a remarkable job as General Chairman and you will have an opportunity to congratulate him at our next meeting, when we will resume our Postgraduate Course in Preventive Dentistry. Dr. Stanley Tylman will discuss, "To What Degree Does the Fixed Bridge Restore Oral Health." Vic Wittert is anxiously awaiting your call for a dinner reservation at BA 1-6626, and we can all hash over the Midwinter Meeting. . . . Hilton Happenings—Jesse Carlton displaying his special certificate —Roy Eberle gave a table clinic and an essay—Rudy Grieff, an expert on how to grab grasshoppers, lost a hat at one of the local restaurants—Mac McNulty and Jack Moran took care of things in the N.U. Class of '18 room, a very dignified group of men—Mark Reardon taking in a few table clinics—Elmer Ebert receptioning at the Reception Committee desk —Willard Johnson trying to get a place at the Ladies' Luncheon—Clint Fisher hurriedly making notes in his little black book — Graham Davies circulating through the Hilton getting ideas for next year's meeting — Warren Lutton and Franklin Otto talking things over in the Normandie Lounge—Wayne Fisher just observing — Wilbur Spencer keeping things running smooth on the 5th floor with Henry Leib helping out — Larry Johnson and Ed Franklin going over a few important items in the Main Lobby —John McBride having a before-lunch cocktail in the Loyola Alumni room . . . John McBride also reports that they are starting the brick work on his new building . . . Walt Dundon has started planning for next year's meeting. Walt has already had a preliminary meeting to set the wheels rolling . . . Congratulations to Jesse Carlton, who recently became a grandfather, for the FIRST TIME. With his buttons popping, Jesse will give an essay at the Indiana State Dental Society meeting . . . Ben Herzberg spent some time basking in the good Florida sunshine. . . . Harry and Mrs. Hartley played in the Master's Bridge Tournament for the benefit of the Heart Association. . . . See you at the Sherry on March 5th.— *Howard J. Harvey, Correspondent.*

Englewood

Dateline: Roseland. *Achtung! Achtung!* Ray Van Dam announces the March 12th program for Englewood. Dr. Carl W. Gieler will present his techniques for a Complete Immediate Denture Service, which will include patient education, pre-extraction and jaw relationship records, impressions, tooth selection, completion and follow-up service as well as the surgical aspect of immediates—com-

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plete with Kodachrome slides. Ray has another good program lined up for April which will be followed by election of officers. . . . Our prayers and hopes for a complete recovery go to Ernie Goldhorn, who suffered many painful and severe injuries in a freak automobile accident previous to checking in at the Midwinter Meeting. Ernie would appreciate a card from you people. His address for awhile will be c/o St. Lukes Hospital, 1439 S. Michigan, Room 1719. . . . We are also pulling for Joe Plewa's wife who is on the current sick list. . . . Emil Olivi may not be *the* most generous guy in the world but he certainly is *one of the* most generous. Thanks, E.J. . . . Pete Christensen delivered a paper before the American Academy of Restorative Dentistry at the convention. Joe McMahon and Ray Anderson were prominent in the 25-year group at the Northwestern luncheon. Ben Jostes and Mal Brooks were in the 35-year group; Milt Cruse in the 40-year group and Ben Partridge was our candidate for the kiddie's or 50-year group. Missed Tom Fleming at the convention, understand he is recovering from a bit of surgery. The Old Timer's Room was a popular spot during the meeting and well tended by Joe Plewa and John Seaborg. Marion Hopkins received an anonymous writeup on the recent Midwinter Meeting. It was well done and obviously the thoughts and feelings of some member who signed himself, "I Hope," but due to shortage of space and time we could not use it here.—*Lawrence E. Lucas, Assistant Branch Correspondent.*

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NEWS ITEMS

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79th & Western; dinner at 7 p.m. and meeting at 8 p.m. Mildred Fleck, a representative from Py-Co-Pay, will present a demonstration on tooth brush drills.

The West Suburban meeting will be held on March 12 at the Carleton Hotel, Oak Park, with dinner at 7 p.m. and meeting at 8 p.m. Dr. Basil Hayes will be the speaker.

INDUSTRIAL DENTISTS ANNUAL MEETING

The fourteenth Annual Meeting of the American Association of Industrial Dentists will be held during the Industrial Health Conference at St. Louis, Missouri, April 22, 23, 24, 1957. Headquarters will be at the Sheraton-Jefferson Hotel. An interesting program has been arranged. All those interested are cordially invited. —*Edward R. Aston, D.D.S., Secretary-Treasurer.*

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